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A SUBJECT which is likely to occupy no little share of the attention of Congress at its present session, says *Bradstreet's*, is that of shipping as involving the question of subsidies. The subject is considered by the Commissioner of Navigation in his report just submitted, and he adds his testimony to that of those who hold that subsidies are necessary to enable our shipping to compete with that of other nations. He says that our vessels must be put on an equality with foreign ships or must be gradually forced out of the contest. It is impossible, he says, for our navigation to regain its lost supremacy in the absence of the various aids and advantages enjoyed by the shipping of other nations. Bounties and subsidies, he points out, are paid by Spain, Italy, Germany and France, and British vessels are aided under one guise or another, and he refers to the fact that the West Indian and South American trade, which should belong to this country, is monopolized by European ships.

THE Augusta, Maine, *Journal* asks these pertinent questions: Will Cleveland back out? Will he seek refuge in some side issue or boldly go ahead, tearing up his bridges behind him? These are the inquiries in the air and on a thousand tongues. He backed down on the rebel flag and threw on a subordinate the responsibility of issuing the order for the return of the legacies of Union valor. But he has fairly crossed the bridge on the tariff issue and planted his flag on the rampart of free trade. He cannot cast the responsibility of the message on a subordinate, for his own name is attached to the document and he has had the enthusiastic praise of the British newspapers, public, and manufacturers. To now attempt to retreat or dodge would be even more fatal than to advance bravely, keeping step to the music of the Cobden Club.

THE *Pittsburg Times* says it is understood that the Republicans in Congress this session will not content themselves with opposing what the Democrats propose, but will have a bill and a policy of their own. This is good news. It would avail nothing now to say that the Republicans should have taken this course at the last session, when many of the wisest in the party favored it, but were overruled. Time has vindicated their views. It is possible that nothing has been irretrievably lost. A tariff bill that will receive the support of all or nearly all of the Republicans in Congress and enunciate principles that will secure the favor of the party and fix its policy, is said to be framing and in due time will make its appearance in Congress.

EVERY newspaper in each of the different localities where citrus fruits are grown, in California, is trying to prove that the recent cold snap was not felt at or near their section. In many instances those newspapers of the northern part of that great State say that the extreme cold was far to the south; while those of the extreme south state how very frigid it was up north. The fact is that the entire State experienced colder weather than known for very many years. And this cold weather was not confined to California alone. It extended from one ocean to the other, and no place was particularly favored by being excepted. It was a meteorological phenomena not characteristic of any one place, but affected all places alike.

MARCUS D. BORUCK has commenced a suit for libel against the *Bee*. Last Saturday that paper stated Boruck had nearly exhausted the Governor's secret service fund, and found fault that the investigations made by the Governor's office was costing so much money. To this Boruck takes exception, and will try to make the *Bee* see the error of its ways.

THEY have a twelve-year-old girl kleptomaniac in Sacramento who steals everything she can get her hands upon. She doesn't steal for the profit there is in it, but just because she can't help it. She gives away money or valuables she may have stolen to the first person that asks her for them.

Go and hear Rev. E. W. Van Deventer at the Methodist church Sunday. The church having been thoroughly repaired and refurnished, will be reopened with appropriate services at 11 A. M., and at 7 P. M.

# NEWS OF THE DAY.

[PARIS DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.]

## CLARA BELLE'S TRIAL.

### General Barnes' Testimony in the Celebrated Case.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 12.—General Barnes' testimony was not finished when the report of the McDonald trial yesterday afternoon closed. Following is the conclusion of his testimony: "Did you have frequent opportunities of conversation after that?" "I did, but I did not enjoy them." "I did not ask you that, General," said Mr. Darwin.

The witness then said that he had concluded that her moral stability was completely overthrown. She was positively unable to tell the difference between right and wrong. The first thing I noticed about the defendant was her physical condition. At times she was so weak that she could not stand; at another time with a physical strength that seemed to be absolutely irresistible.

The witness then narrated how Mrs. McDonald, in a coupe, would take the delight of a child in "giving the slip" to a detective that followed in a buggy; how she seemed irritable and excitable, and was especially incensed at the delays of courts in her litigation. At times she seemed to be very grateful to the General for his gratuitous services, and at others she thought that he was not doing enough.

The General's spirited narration amused the defendant highly. She could not conceal her amusement, but hid her face in her hands and gave way to a paroxysm of laughter. At one interview with the defendant she fainted away and only recovered after a hemorrhage that almost killed her. She drew \$25,000 from Wells, Fargo & Co. after scratching off the endorsement of Cashier Brown of the Bank of California upon a certificate of deposit to secure that sum which had been drawn from the Bank of Los Angeles on two notes. The bank authorities took steps to recover the money, but threats of arrest seemed to have no effect upon her. Even when her child was mentioned she could not comprehend the seriousness of her difficulty. It was when this came to a climax that she had the hemorrhage which almost cost her her life.

The next morning the General obtained the money in an envelope from the lady. The General said he took it, did not grab it. She produced it only because the General agreed to say that Swain had never had the money in his possession. The money was borrowed from the Bank of Los Angeles on two notes of the defendant, indorsed by a Mr. Ferguson. The deed for the property was made out to Swain, however. As soon as the General obtained the money he returned it to the Bank of California, and it was subsequently used to balance the account at the Bank of Los Angeles.

"I left the case because I heard that Dr. McDonald was willing to support her and her child, and I did not want to have it said that Dr. McDonald was being robbed by Barnes in the way of attorney's fees."

When the witness was asked to draw up the defendant's answer in her divorce suit, he made inquiries of her doctor and nurse and the result of these inquiries satisfied him that she knew what she was talking about. Mrs. McDonald had told him that any statement that she had made at the Pacific Bank that her answer was a fabrication of the General's was an infamous and scandalous falsehood.

"Then she had intelligence enough to perceive what would injure her," suggested Colonel Flournoy. "Do you think she thinks it is wrong to say anything she desires to say, regardless of the truth?"

"No—not anything in relation to the McDonalds. Neither would she hesitate to do anything in reference to that class. Her whole constitution, mentally, morally, physically, was at the very lowest ebb. She seemed to think that she was being ill-used all along the line."

"Did she tell you anything about Swain?" "All about him. I warned her against him, but she passed it unheeded. She said she was using him to effect her business purposes. He was bright, smart, and gentle and kind to her, and she always insisted that their relations were most proper."

"You are not friend of Dr. McDonald, General?" "Oh, I hate him. Do you want to know why? He is the meanest man on earth. I want to tell why badly. Oh, do let me."

The General was not allowed to tell why, however, and he was excused. Important witnesses being absent, and Barnes' testimony concluded, an adjournment was taken.

**The Opposition to Lamar.**  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—The resolution offered by Chandler January 10th, instructing the committee on Judiciary to inquire into the suppression of votes of colored citizens of Jackson, Miss., at the recent municipal elections in that city, and into the alleged participation in such suppression by the United States District Attorney, Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue and Deputy United States Marshal was taken up, and Chandler addressed the Senate in explanation and support of it.

He detailed at length the alleged methods that were pursued to intimidate negro voters and in conclusion said this had all happened in a State which was seeking to-day to have an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court to aid on passing in the validity of constitutional amendments. Riddleberger remarked that there was no concealment of the fact that the resolution was intended to offset matters that ought to be considered only in executive session and he gave notice that as for himself he would vote for the confirmation of Lamar.

Wilkins then demanded the previous question and on third reading of the bill, and on division the roll was 118 to 59 in favor of sustaining the demand, and yeas and nays were ordered, pending which the opponents of the bill resorted to filibustering tactics and motions to adjourn consumed the remainder of the morning hour in which the bill was being considered and the matter went over. It will probably be further considered tomorrow.

**The Railroad Tax Cases.**  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—At a late hour this afternoon argument was begun in the case of the People of California against the Central and Southern Pacific Railroad Companies, otherwise known as the tax cases. There were

very few people in court when the cases were called, but quite an array of distinguished lawyers. Attorney-General Johnson and Shellabarger and Wilson appeared for the State, and Senators Evans and Edmunds and Creed Haymond for the railway companies.

Senator Stanford was an interested listener. Mr. Wilson opened the argument for the State. After reviewing briefly the San Mateo cases, which came before the Supreme Court some time ago, Judge Wilson cited various points at controversy between the State and the railway companies in the pending cases, telling what the State hoped to establish, and the replies they have to make to the defendants' brief.

When the hour of adjournment was reached Wilson had only got fairly into his argument.

**The Cold Northwest.**  
MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 13.—Reports from all over the Northwest indicate that the prevailing blizzard is the worst and most extended of the season.

On roads running west from here all freight cars are abandoned, and passenger trains are run at long intervals, though every effort is being made to keep them moving. The blizzard filled the air with blinding snow so that business men lost their way in the drive from their homes to their offices.

Experienced teachers dismissed their scholars in the storm at noon yesterday and three were only rescued by extraordinary efforts. Men organized themselves in parties of ten each around with a hundred-foot rope, and marching in a line, gathered all the lost children but one child who is doubtless frozen to death.

Railroad shop whistles were kept blowing to give people out in the storm their bearings.

At Fargo the storm was the worst in eight years, with the mercury 47 degrees below zero and a hurricane blowing.

Jameson and the northern branch of the Northern Pacific is entirely plugged up.

At Pierre, Dakota, the wind blew 60 miles an hour, and the roads are blocked terribly.

On the Northern Pacific all transcontinental trains got stuck yesterday. This morning's blizzard mostly spent and trains will soon be moving regularly.

A Milwaukee special from the interior of the State shows that many cities are completely shut off from railway communication with the outside world.

At Superior no mails have been received for 36 hours. The thermometer registered 27 degrees below zero in the morning and all trains on the Northern Pacific are either snow-bound or abandoned. No trains have reached Madison since yesterday afternoon.

**An Arch Swindler Arrested.**  
NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—After eluding detection for a year, the man who so successfully swindled the residents of the City of Mexico out of nearly \$30,000 by spurious advance sales of tickets for a series of concerts by Madame Patti, has been arrested. His name is Charles Bourton, who fled here for a short time, and claimed to be the representative of the London Referee. This swindle in the City of Mexico is not the only crime for which he is wanted. He is one of the most successful and dangerous of confidence men, and has operated successfully all over Europe, and if the Mexican authorities do not want him he will be held to answer to some other of his many offenses.

**Morrow Gets in His Work.**  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—The Foreign Relations Committee met this morning and organized. There were no bills referred to the committee in readiness to be considered. Mr. Morrow entertained the committee with a discussion of his views on the Chinese question. Mr. Morrow intends that his fellow-members of the committee shall understand the Chinese question from the Pacific Coast standpoint without any delay. Of course no action can be taken on the subject until the bills are received and referred to the appropriate sub-committees.

**An Outrageous Report.**  
SACRAMENTO, Jan. 12.—Mrs. Petrie, whose name is mentioned in connection with George McNie in a dispatch from Fresno, received by the press on Monday evening, is unquestionably made an innocent victim by such mention. The dispatch intimated that McNie had paid addresses to Mrs. Petrie, and that she having left Fresno and come to Sacramento, a correspondence was kept up, and that he now having made a raise of money by robbing a man, had come to Sacramento and was caught.

Mrs. Petrie, who is in this city with her parents, states that there is absolutely no truth in the whole matter as to her ever having had even the slightest relations with McNie.

**A Fight to a Finish.**  
ANNISTON (Ala.), Jan. 13.—R. H. Evans and W. R. Williams killed each other at the Parker House yesterday. Williams was the proprietor and Evans and wife were boarders. Williams made objection to them some time ago and words passed between them. Evans returned yesterday afternoon intoxicated and renewed the difficulty, and began firing. Evans emptied five barrels and Williams four. When Williams fired his last shot they were down on the floor together and the powder burned Evans' coat. Williams killed Evans after he himself had received mortal wounds.

**The Unfrosted Priest.**  
NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—Dr. McGlynn's strictures on the Pope seem to have found favor with the temperance people, as the unfrosted priest has been elected President of the Central Temperance Alliance. It has for its object the creation of a more fraternal feeling among the members of all temperance societies about this city. The other candidates for President were Rev. Dr. George E. Pentecost and Dr. D. H. Mann. McGlynn received 20 votes, Mann 6, and Pentecost 5.

**Blaine in New Hampshire.**  
MANCHESTER, N. H., Jan. 12.—The *Daily Mirror* recently mailed 500 circular letters to prominent Republicans in this State concerning Presidential preferences. In response, Blaine leads, 119 favoring him as a candidate, Sherman being second, with only 50 votes. Lincoln takes the best showing for Vice-President.

**A Big Lift for Clara Belle.**  
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 12.—The deposition made by Creed Haymond was read in the trial of Clara Belle McDonald to-day, in which the opinion was advanced that the defendant was insane, and that she believed Dr. McDonald intended to murder her.

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The *Virginia Chronicle* says: A case of small pox is reported at Wells, Elko county. The Elko Independent says "It is a case of Eureka fever." Take your choice.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

I. O. O. F.

RENO LODGE NO. 19, I. O. O. F., meets at their hall on Chestnut street, over the Congregational Church, every THURSDAY EVENING at 7 o'clock. Visiting members in good standing are cordially invited to attend.  
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Reno Chapter No. 7, R. A. M.

THE STATED CONVOCAIONS OF Reno Chapter No. 7, R. A. M., are held at Masonic Hall on the evening of the first Thursday of each month, commencing at 8 o'clock sharp. All solemnizing sojourning in good standing are respectfully invited to attend. By order of R. E. L. L. CHURCH, Sec'y.

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**This Afternoon's Stock Board.**

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180 Mexican, 4 96	500 Alta, 2
200 Gould & Curry, 4 85, 4 84	900 Challenge, 3 20, 3 15
800 Best & Belcher, 6 1/4	200 Occidental, 1 75
200 Con. Va., 20 1/2, 20 1/4	100 L. Washington, 450
400 Savage, 7 1/2, 7 1/4	50 Andes, 1 30
150 Chollar, 6 1/4	350 Scorpion, 800
175 Potomac, 5 1/4	200 New York, 750
485 Hale & Norcross, 10, 9 1/4	150 Hendricks, 9
200 Point, 9 1/4	400 Keweenaw, 2 40, 2 45
600 Jacket, 8 1/4	190 Eureka, 9 1/4, 9 1/2
775 Alpha, 1 55, 1 60	50 Jackson, 500
400 Belcher, 6 1/4, 6 1/2	350 B. E. L., 7 1/2
70 Confidence, 11 1/2	200 N. B. E. L., 7 1/2
400 Nevada, 4 70, 4 65, 4 1/2	30 Queen, 2 30
400 Utah, 1 80	200 Commonwealth, 4
550 Bullion, 1 60, 1 65	100 Ponderosa, 500
750 S. Belcher, 3 1/2, 3 65	400 Mono, 1 40
150 Overman, 85	100 Crocker, 800
200 Justice, 1 10	200 Peer, 550
100 Union, 4 40, 4 35	Peerless, 1 35, 1 40
500 Alta, 2	Weldon, 550, 500

**MOTEL ARRIVALS.**

**DEPOT HOTEL.**—F. A. Kelton, Ogden; James L. Tucker, J. L. Betzel, T. S. Holt, E. F. Schwartz, San Francisco; Frank Golden, H. L. Stewart, Virginia City; Dr. Rao, Car-on; H. L. Ingram, P. A. McDonald, Long Valley; Charles Roberts, N. Tonkin, Eureka Mills; H. E. Davis, Reno.

**PALACE HOTEL.**—J. M. Sullivan and family, Santa Rosa; Leland S. Ayer, Chicago; M. D. Haynes, Wm. McMullan, Virginia City; W. W. Baird, San Diego; Joseph Randall, E. C. Acken, Winnemucca; D. J. Higgins, Carson; A. E. Donnelly, Winnemucca; A. Bunge, Woodland; J. D. Pollard, San Diego; J. B. Hollingsworth, Eureka; M. D. Hogan, Carson.

**LAFAYETTE HOUSE.**—Mrs. Duette and son, Truckee; D. McMullen, D. D. McGillivray, Mrs. Place, T. T. Curt, Reno; M. H. Stewart, E. C. Acken, Franktown; E. Hollingsworth, Genoa; Frank Pion, Long Valley.

**BORN.**

PAUL.—At Battle Mountain, January 8, to the wife of T. W. Paul, a son.

**JOTTINGS.**

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Buckboards, all sizes, neat, handy and durable, at J. L. Longbaugh's, Reno, Nev.

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Fassett, the druggist, keeps in stock the choicest perfume and toilet articles. Prescriptions carefully compounded.

New comb and refined honey, pure maple sugar, rock maple syrup, canned blueberries, just received, at Coffin & Larcombe's.

C. A. Thurston has received a fine lot of Japanese napkins, all shades and styles, also the latest craze in ladies' purses—long Morocco ones.

Coffin & Larcombe have received a fresh lot of choice candies from the large factories in San Francisco, also Sicily lemons, nuts and seasonal fruits.

What is the use of having a suit of clothes made at a high price when you can go to the White House clothing emporium and get just as good a suit for half the money?

Type writers' supplies, Tanfill's Punch cigars, the finest five-cent cigar in the world, an elegant assortment of brass plaques and a full supply of artists' materials at Brookins'.

A schooner of either Boca or Sacramento beer and a hot lunch can be had at J. J. Becker's Chicago saloon for 12 cents. Drop in there at any time between 11 A. M. and 2 P. M., and be convinced.

Go to E. C. Leabetter's for extra select Baltimore oysters, Chase & Sanborn's celebrated coffee, "Our Taste" is home, eastern cream cheese, Fairbank's best lard, a choice assortment of shell goods—all fresh, as cheap as the cheapest.

**PERSONAL.**

John Mackay is expected on the Comstock soon.

Senaor Evan Williams of Orma-by County, is laid up with rheumatism.

Hub. Stewart, of Virginia, will spend the next two weeks in the Golden State.

J. B. Hollingsworth, the well-known Eureka county sheepman, is registered at the Palace.

Major John H. Parker, an old resident of Carson, died of apoplexy at Portland, Oregon, on the 11th inst.

W. H. Shockley, Superintendent of the Mt. Diablo Mill and Mining Co., Candelaria, was a passenger for San Francisco on last evening's train.

**S. Kurlich's Prices.**

Children's and misses' cloaks, from four to six years, plain and checked heavy cassimere with or without cap or hood, \$2, worth \$4; from eight to ten years old, \$2 50, worth \$5; from 12 to 14 years old, \$3 50, worth \$7; from four to six years old, Chinichilla, \$3 50, worth \$7; eight to ten years old, Chinichilla, \$5, worth \$9; 12 to 14 years old, Chinichilla, \$6, worth \$12; from four to six years old, English Jersey Beaver, \$4, worth \$7 50; from eight to ten years old, English Jersey Beaver, \$5 50, worth \$9; from 12 to 14 years old, English Jersey Beaver, \$7 50, worth \$12 50. Ladies' cloaks and jackets sold in comparison with the above prices. Call at once and secure these bargains.

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**RAILWAY ACCIDENT.**

Two Engineers of the Central Pacific Engine.

Considerable uneasiness was manifested in town last evening, owing to a report that the west-bound passenger train, which left here Wednesday morning, had been wrecked near Blue Canyon, and that eighteen persons had been killed. Diligent and persistent inquiry of trainmen and telegraph operators resulted in nothing being learned, although one individual declined to reply that "there was nothing in the report." From another source, it was learned that the train had met with an accident and three passenger cars and the baggage car were derailed. The only casualty reported was the breaking of the collar-bone of the engineer. A wrecking train was sent from here, and in a short time travel was resumed.

LATER.—From a passenger who arrived this morning the following particulars were learned: Train No. 4, overland, was derailed at Lander's station, the accident occurring at 2:40 A. M. While the train was going near its usual rate of speed, the two locomotives pulling the train, the express and baggage cars left the track. The express was totally wrecked, and the baggage escaped injury. The engineers, J. C. Day and J. Wright, were seriously injured, the former having two of his ribs broken, besides an arm injured, and the latter had his cheek laid open. Both locomotives ran into the bank and were badly demolished. Wrecking trains were sent out, and after eleven hours of hard work, the wreck was cleared away. The cause of the accident is a mystery.

**BREVITIES.**

**Local and General Intelligence.**

Justice Young disposed of a drunk case to-day.

The Assessor will start on his annual tour March 1st.

Heavy snowstorm reported at Virginia City to-day.

Passenger travel on the Central Pacific is very light at present.

Fine choice Nevada wool is quoted at 18 cents a pound in Philadelphia.

The Nevada Educational Association meets in Carson this evening.

John Harrison, a prosperous farmer of Lovelock, is visiting Reno.

No. 3, due here at 8:10 last night, arrived here this morning at 11 o'clock.

Ice, ten inches thick, is being out on the river a short distance north or town.

Our local Hawkshaws have had little to do in the criminal line so far this year.

The total bullion product of Nevada for the year 1887 is estimated at \$14,232,453.

Frank Martin, sentenced to the State Prison from this county, has been pardoned.

Upwards of 4,000 head of cattle are being fed at Spanish ranch, Independence Valley, Elko county.

Sheep-owners say the recent cold wave was worse on the sheep business than the President's message.

The Central Pacific railroad is credited with having more accidents than any other railroad in the United States.

Ice in the Carson river is gradually disappearing, and the mills are expected to start up by the first of the coming week.

A fourteen-inch vein of high-grade ore is reported to have been developed recently in the Wild Goose mine, Paradise Valley.

Sheepmen of Eureka county are reported to be losing sheep by the hundreds. The weather there is the severest known for years.

The Silver State says: The cold spell of the last four days was very severe on stock. Cattlemen say that stock, which looked well a week ago, are now as gaunt as greyhounds.

William Carter, of Lovelock, arrested on a charge of being insane, has been examined by a commission at Winnemucca and pronounced sane. A case of too much bad whisky.

At half-past 2 o'clock yesterday, in Virginia City, Frank Golden, the well-known Comstock jeweler, had an exciting runaway, in which he was fortunately uninjured. At 6:35 the same evening he was in Reno. He came by the V. & T., however.

The Mountain Messenger, published at Downsville, has the following to say of Miss Carrie B. Corns, who has lately taken up her residence in Reno: "Miss Corns has taught the piano for nearly a year in Downsville, and has had quite a number of pupils during that time. Her pupils have made great progress during that time, and she goes away leaving many regrets at her loss from the public, and especially from her pupils and parents."

**MODOC COUNTY.**

A Chatty Letter From that Isolated Section.

LOOKOUT, Cal., Jan. 10, 1888.

EDITORS GAZETTE.—Lookout, from which I write this letter, is a small town in the southern part of Modoc county, Cal. Although there has been a store, blacksmith shop and hotel here for some time, the place has lately taken a start and bids fair to rival some of the older towns of this section. It is situated on the bank of the Pitt river, in the northern part of Big Valley, has a good water power, is convenient to the timber and surrounded by a good farming country. North of us is some good hay land and plenty of good ranges for stock raising. The merchandizing interests are represented by E. S. Trowbridge and Read, Morris & Co.

Mr. Read is from Woodland, Yolo county, and located here last October, after having traveled extensively in Northern Oregon and Northern California.

Mr. Morris is an old resident, having taught the school here for eleven successive years. He is also the present member of the California Assembly for Modoc and Lassen counties.

H. Stroup and Wm. Harris do a general blacksmithing and wagon repairing business.

F. M. Winchel came here from Honey Lake Valley last August to take charge of our school. He was so favorably impressed with the future prospect of the place that he sold his ranch in Honey Lake and purchased the hotel property of J. L. Wood, and combines the calling of pedagogue and boniface.

There is a good grist mill already built by the water power, and there is little doubt but that machinery will be put in it to grind next season's crop of grain.

Land is cheap, and the prospect for those who buy now is a good one.

As yet we are lacking railroad facilities, but the Nevada and California is headed this way from Reno, and a party of surveyors representing an Eastern company have been through—though they were very reticent and told no one their business—we have strong hopes of relief from this limitation in the near future. More anon.

DIXIE.

**A Railroad Rumor Refuted.**

A rumor that the Nevada & California railroad was about to be absorbed what was left of the Mohawk Valley railroad, a narrow gauge which starts out about 36 miles from Reno and runs for a distance of 15 1/2 miles into Lassen county, with a prospective terminus in Plumas county, was run to earth to-day, and found to be without foundation. As is well known, the Mohawk road is bankrupt, and all the personal property, consisting of engines, cars, tools, etc., have been sold at Sheriff's sale, and all that the company now has is the road-bed, rails, ties, etc., and the right of way, to dispose of. This property is mortgaged for between \$75,000 and \$100,000, bonds having been issued for more than the amount of the indebtedness. The property, or rather what is left of it, is now held by San Francisco parties, and E. Gest, the superintendent of the Nevada & California, emphatically states that no negotiations have been entered into between us company and the Mohawk company for a transfer, and from present indications none would be.

**NEW TO-DAY.**

**Midwife.**

MRS. ANNA GUIS, MIDWIFE, DESIRES to inform the public that she has returned from Taylorville, Calif. res., and is now located at the Pyramid House, where she can be seen.

**GUARDIAN'S SALE**

OF  
REAL PROPERTY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Julia D. Lee, Guardian of the estate of Frank M. Lee, of Eugene Lee and Ben F. Lee, minors, has obtained on proper petition made and proceedings had in the District Court of the State of Nevada, in and for the county of Washoe, an order directing the sale of certain real property owned by said minors, which property so directed and ordered sold is described as follows, to-wit: The undivided one half of the north twenty-two feet of lot one, in block "47," as known and described on the "Official Map" of the town of Reno, made for Charles Crocker, fronting twenty-two feet on the east line of Virginia street, and having a depth of forty feet and forty feet to an alley, two lot nine in block "47," as known and designated on said "Official Map" of said town, fronting twenty-five feet on the north line of Third, or Fifth street, in said town of Reno, and having a depth of one hundred feet northerly to an alley, and bounded on the west by the east line of Centre street together with the appurtenances said property will, from and after the sixth day of February, 1888, be offered at a private sale, by Julia D. Lee, guardian of said minors, to the highest bidder for money, in hand paid, at her residence on Fourth street, between West and Cheesnut streets, Reno, if the same is disposed of in obedience to said order of said Court.

Dated this 13th day of January, 1888.

JULIA D. LEE,  
Guardian of the persons and estate of the said minors.

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**TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.**

—Bar silver, 90 1/4.

—Richard A. Conway, United States Consul at Port Hope, Ontario, is dead.

—Representative Hermann has introduced a bill to quiet the title to Oregon swamp lands.

—John Swinton, the great labor agitator, is lying in a critical condition at his residence in New York.

—An epidemic has broken out among the Indians at Poplar River Agency, Montana. Doctors pronounce it erysipelas, and contagious. About twenty have died at Wolf Point. The cause is close confinement and bad ventilation.

"No Too" Platt Ousted.

ALBANY, (N. Y.), Jan. 13.—The Jury in the case of the State against Thos. Platt, to oust him from the position of Quarantine Commissioner of the city of New York, on the ground that he is not a resident of that city, this morning returned a verdict against him.

Grandma Garfield Ill.

CLEVELAND, (O.), Jan. 12.—Grandma Garfield, as President Garfield's mother is called, by those who know her, is ill at her old homestead at Mentor. She wants to see "Jimmy" as she terms her dead son, and although not very sick, it is thought that her end is drawing near, as she is very aged.

**Severe on Stock.**

The Silver State says: "The intense cold is fearfully severe on stock running at large, and stockmen in the eastern part of the State, where the snow is from one to two feet deep, already count their losses at from ten to fifteen per cent of range stock, but could sole themselves with the hope that water and consequently feed will be more plentiful next Summer than for several years past."

Mr. Gould has been quite free from his old enemy, neuralgia, for three months past. It is interesting to note here that just three months ago I suggested to Mr. Gould that the only cure for neuralgia was to steal a nutmeg and wear it hung around his neck. Almost immediately subsequent to my suggestion Mr. Gould was reported to be in better health and free from his old enemy. Since that time he has not had a return of the trouble. What is the inference? Of course the money king will not acknowledge his debt and thereby incur the risk of an indictment for petty larceny, but the circumstantial evidence is overwhelming.—Brooklyn Eagle.

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**Dissolution.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between J. O. Twiss and C. H. Stoddard, under the firm name of Stoddard & Twiss in the management of the Lak House, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, J. O. Twiss retiring. C. H. Stoddard will continue the business, collect outstanding accounts and pay all bills.

J. O. TWISS,  
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- We will place on sale the following lines at prices mentioned:
- 12 Pieces double-fold All-Wool Ladies' Cloth, in the following colors: Garnet, Myrtle, Gray, Seal, Navy, Tan, Cardinal, etc., at 40 cents per yard.
  - 8 Pieces double-fold Whalebone Serges, in all the leading colors and shades at 20 cents per yard.
  - 10 Pieces double-fold, full yard wide, Cashmeres, all desirable colors and shades, 20 cents per yard.
  - 10 Pieces excellent quality French Cashmeres, in all the leading colors, including Black, usual price, 65 cents. down to 40 cents per yard.
  - 5 Pieces double-fold All-Wool home-spuns, mostly in Gray and Brown mixtures, 30 cents per yard.
  - 7 Pieces fine Silk Plushes, all choice colors, reduced to 90 cents per yard.
  - A complete assortment of Fine Silk Velvets, in all the leading colors, will be offered at 75 cents per yard.
  - 15 dozen Ladies' Black Jerseys, Plain and Beaded Fronts, all well finished, 50 cents and 75 cents each.
  - 25 dozen Ladies' Linen Cape Collars, down to 5 cents each.
  - 25 dozen Ladies' Hemstitched Colored Bordered Handkerchiefs, warranted fast colors, 5 cents each.
  - 10 dozen Misses' Solid Colored, Full Finished, Derby Ribbed Cotton Hose, sizes 5 to 8 1/2, all at 12 1/2 cents per pair.
  - 16 dozen Ladies' 5 Button Kid Gloves, in Tan, Medium and Dark Brown, and derby stitched backs, actual value \$1, down to 50 cents a pair.
  - 20 dozen Ladies' Merino Undervests, sizes 30 to 38, reduced to 35 cents each.
  - 6 pieces Extra Quality, Pure Linen Table Damask, 62 inches wide, usual price 75 cents, down to 45 cents per yard.
  - 15 pieces All-Price Linen Crash will be sold at 16 yards for \$1.
  - 12 dozen Misses' All-Wool Ribbed, Full Finished Hose in Garnet, Seal and Navy, splendid quality, reduced to 25 cents per pair.

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